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FM AMEMBASSY TANANARIVE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5576

USDEL JEC PARIS

AMEMBASSY LAGOS

INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

AMEMBASSY PARIS

AMEMBASSY SAIGON

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C O N F I D E N T I A L TANANARIVE 1171

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS:SPFOR, MA, VS

SUBJ: PRG ISSUE AT NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE

REF: TANANARIVE 1140(NOTAL)

1. MOFA DIRECTOR BILATERAL RELATIONS RATSIMANDRESY, IN RESPONSE AMB'S DIRECT QUESTION 22 AUG, SAID THAT APPROACH FROM GVN CONCERNING SENDING MISSION TO TANA HAD BEEN RECEIVED THROUGH MALAGASY EMBASSY LONDON. STATED REPLY HAD BEEN SENT INDICATING MISSION AT THIS TIME WOULD BE "INOPPORTUNE". AS REPORTED REFTEL, GOMR IS PARTICULARLY SENSITIVE TO POTENTIAL CRITICISM DURING PERIOD LEADING UP TO NATIONAL POPULAR DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL ELECTIONS 21 OCT.

2. EMBASSY FRANKLY SEES NO LIKELIHOOD BEING ABLE CHANGE GOMR POSITION CONCERNING MISSION. WE DOUBT VECY MUCH THAT GOMR DEL TO ALGIERS CONFER WILL TAKE ACTIVE POSITION EITHER WAY BUT IN LAST ANALYSIS WILL BEND WITH AFRICAN WIND.

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3. EMBASSY NOTES NIGERIAN ENVOY (FNU) DIMKA ARRIVED 21 AUG

WITH PERSONAL MESSAGE FROM GEN GOWON TO HEAD OF GOVT RAMANAN-
TSOA. MAY DISCUSS VARIETY AFRICAN AND NON-ALIGNED ISSUES WITH
FOREIGN MINISTRY. DO ACTION ADDRESSEES HAVE ANY INDICATION
NIGERIAN POSITION ON PRG ISSUE?
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